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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Brown et al. Attorney Docket No: MICR0201  
Serial No: 09/778,223 Group Art Unit: 2141  
Filed: February 6, 2001 Examiner: Tanim M. Hossain  
Title: DISTRIBUTED LOAD BALANCING FOR SINGLE ENTRY-POINT  
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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified patent application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1940. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

<u>Computation of Fee For Claims as Amended</u>					
	<u>Claims Remaining after Amendment</u>	<u>Highest Number Previously Paid For</u>	<u>Present Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	36	36	-0-	x \$18	\$-0-
Independent Claims	4	4	-0-	x \$88	-0-
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ -0-

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

In response to the Office Action dated August 31, 2004, applicants request that the Examiner reconsider the above-identified application in view of the Remarks that follow.

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